

# Report to: Lambeth Together Strategic Board

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<b>Report Title</b>	SE London Integrated Care System (ICS) – Update and Next Steps
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<b>Summary</b>	<p>At the Strategic Board Seminar on 23<sup>rd</sup> June 2021 Strategic Board Members received an update from Ben Collins, Director of ICS System Development, on discussions underway to develop an Integrated Care System in South East London.</p> <p>Board members noted that the approach being developed closely reflected the direction of travel previously proposed across SE London, based on a ‘system of systems’ approach and recognising the importance of borough place-based partnership arrangements, such as Lambeth Together, within this. Many of the learning areas and issues addressed with the Lambeth response to the national engagement exercise undertaken during December 2020 remain, within both the national and SE London proposals.</p> <p>The Bill has now been placed before parliament and subject to approval it is expected that new ICSs will be formally established as statutory bodies from 1<sup>st</sup> April 2022.</p> <p>Work will continue across health and care partners to design the approach that will best meet the needs of south east London and in line with the design framework guidance published by NHS England. This work is led by the existing SE London ICS Executive along with a small number of supporting workstreams. One of these addresses the development of Place-Based arrangements and is led by myself along with Matthew Trainer, Chief Executive of Oxleas NHS Foundation Trust. Our work as a Lambeth Together partnership over a number of years means we already have in place well embedded arrangements on which we can confidently build as the ICS develops further. Other workstreams include Ways of Working, Financial Flows and Acute Collaboration.</p> <p>Attached at Appendix A is the latest update on the development of this work including our principles and priorities as produced by the south east London team. The intention is that over the summer months and into the autumn the overall governance framework for the ICS will be developed, at the same time undertaking important work on establishing effective ways of working in effective partnership, in order to enable innovation and improvement.</p> <p>Further updates will brought back to the Lambeth Together Strategic Board as the work progresses and as the Bill passes through parliament.</p>

**Recommendation(s)**

The Lambeth Together Strategic Board is asked to;

1. Note the work underway to develop an Integrated Care System in South East London in line with proposals published in the White Paper *Integration and Innovation; working together to improve health and social care for all*.
2. Note that our Lambeth Together arrangements leave us well placed to take forward Place-Based arrangements for Lambeth within the developing SE London ICS.